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DEVICE AND METHOD OF WRITING DATA
INTO TUNNEL MAGNETORESISTANCE
DEVICE IN NONVOLATILE MAGNETIC
MEMORY DEVICE

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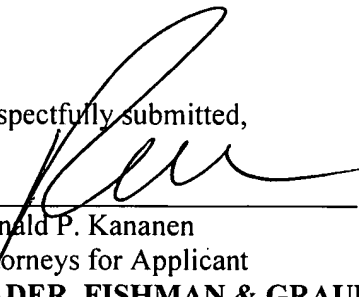
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